

County Based Funding Practices and Ranking Questions developed by Local Work Group (LWG) For FY2008				
1.	County name			Crockett
	The Beginning Farmer Payment Schedule Rate for this county is			90%
2.	PRAC. CODE	CONSERVATION PRACTICE NAME	UNITS	<p>The Local work Group Recommended Using These Practices</p> <p><i>(A "yes" has been entered for those practices available in this funding pool to use in your county. Blank practices are not available with this ranking tool but may be available from other funding pools.)</i></p>
	316	Animal Mortality Facility (No)	No	YES
	328	Conservation Crop Rotation (Ac)	Ac	YES
	100	CNMP	No	YES
	342	Critical Area Planting (Ac)	Ac	YES
	362	Diversion (Ft)	CY	YES
	382	Fence (Ft)	FT or Strand/ft	YES
	410	Grade Stabilization Structure (No)	CY or DIFT or Ton	YES
	561	Heavy Use Area Protection (Ac)	SF	YES
	442	Irrigation System, Sprinkler (Ac)	Ac	YES
	449	Irrigation Water Management (Ac)	Ac	YES
	460	Land Clearing (Ac)	Ac	YES
	484	Mulching (Ac)	Ac or Sq Yd	YES
	590	Nutrient Management (Ac)	Ac	YES
	512	Pasture and Hay Planting (Ac)	Ac	YES
	516	Pipeline (Ft)	DIFT	YES
	378	Pond (No)	CY	YES
	580	Streambank & Shoreline Protection (Ft)	CY or Ton	YES
	600	Terrace (Ft)	CY	YES
	612	Tree/Shrub Establishment (Ac)	Ac	YES
	620	Underground Outlet (Ft)	DIFT	YES
	472	Use Exclusion (Ac)	strand-ft	YES
	638	Water & Sediment Control Basin (No)	CY	YES
	614	Water Facility (No)	Each	YES
	642	Water Well (Ft)	LF or NO	YES

3.	LOCAL ISSUES: Your Local Work Group developed the following yes or no questions to be used in the County Base Ranking Tool. Points will only be awarded with a Yes Answer.			
	Question #	Question	Points	Responses
	1	Does the application plan to seed HEL cropland to perennial vegetation for hayland and/or grazing?	100	Yes No
	2	Blank	95	Yes No
	3	Blank	90	Yes No
	4	Blank	85	Yes No
	5	Blank	80	Yes No
	6	Blank	75	Yes No
	7	Does the application include the development of a livestock watering facility to improve upland grazing?	70	Yes No
	8	Blank	65	Yes No
	9	Does the application improve livestock distribution?	60	Yes No
	10	Does the application include practices that will result in protection and improvements to water quality.?	55	Yes No
	11	Does the application include critical area treatment to reduce soil erosion?	50	Yes No
	12	Does the application include structural practices to reduce ephemeral and gully erosion?	45	Yes No
	13	Does the application include practices that promote variable rate nutrient and/or lime application.	40	Yes No
	14	Does the application include practices that improve irrigation efficiency?	35	Yes No
	15	Does the application include parctices to reduce sheet and rill erosion?	30	Yes No
	16	Blank	25	Yes No
	17	Does the application involve tree planting on cropland or pastureland?	20	Yes No
	18	Blank	15	Yes No
	19	If the application is approved, would this be the producers first EQIP contract?	10	Yes No
	20	Blank	5	Yes No